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### AN OFFICIAL DEFENDANT

Secretary Stoddard in a Tripler Liquid Air Suit.

Secretary Stoddard was served with papers by a deputy sheriff of this county yesterday in the case of G. M. Fennell & Co. of New York, against the Tripler Liquid Air company. Local interest in this proceeding lies in the recognition of the fact that the secretary of the territory becomes the agent for a company incorporated under the laws of Arizona in the absence of a regularly appointed agent. This is a matter which has not been clearly understood, and in some quarters the propriety of the secretary acting as agent in any circumstances was questioned.

A few days ago the secretary was informed that service would be made upon him in such a case. Messrs. Horn-don & Norris of Prescott, attorneys for the plaintiff, had examined the law and found that the secretary becomes by law the agent of companies which have not appointed agents. From this there is an easy inference that if the secretary is made the agent of a corporation by the mere operation of the law, he can not become disqualified by his special appointment by the corporation.

Regarding the suit itself it is one which has been attracting a good deal of attention in New York and the east, threatening the existence of an organization which promised to revolutionize the motive power of the world. Fraud has been charged on the part of the management, and a long deferred meeting of the board of directors was set for last Saturday in New York, when ex-Senator Stephen W. Dorsey, the chief manager, was expected to be present. Notwithstanding several hundred thousand dollars of stock have been sold, the only basis in sight is an old rusty engine, supposed to be a part of the machinery for liquefying air. The application of the air to any useful or profitable purpose seems more remote now than it seemed a year ago.

The articles of incorporation of the Tripler Liquid Air company were filed in Yuma county. The incorporators were ex-Senator Dorsey, Senator John P. Jones, Edward Tripler and others. The plaintiffs in this case are G. M. Fennell & Co. of New York, the fiscal agents of the company. The burden of their complaint is that they had a contract with the company to dispose of the stock, and that the management, disregarding that arrangement, sold stock upon which commissions or prof-

its under the contract would have amounted to \$1500. They also ask for a receiver for the company, a purely formal request, a receiver having been appointed in New York nearly two weeks ago.

G. M. Fennell of the plaintiffs is a brother of Cecil M. Fennell, who is engaged in mining operations in Yavapai county.

### BASE BALL NEWS

Manager Haffner's Challenge Has Been Accepted.

Theodore Haffner, of Coffee A's, on his return from California, became infected with the base ball craze and organized a nine of biscuit tossers and gave them daily practice on the customers of that popular bakery. The members of Mr. Haffner's aggregation have obtained such good control of the biscuits that they can scoop a plate of them from one end of a fifty-foot counter to the other, curving in and out among the dishes of intervening guests, and bringing up directly in front of the patron who ordered them.

When the manager thought he had got the thing down fine he issued a sweeping challenge to all other base ball clubs, the Bartenders preferred. The chip was knocked off of Manager Haffner's shoulder yesterday by F. S. Burgess, manager of the Bartenders' nine, who desires a test a week from Sunday at Phoenix park. Manager Burgess insists that the opportunity to see these two aggregations of skill come together shall be placed within the reach of all, and in order that that may be done, it shall be free.

Manager Haffner consented to that condition, and proposed one of his own, the barring of high balls, with which his men are less familiar. Some of them are not wholly inexperienced, but what experience they have had has only furnished additional proof of their inability to contend against them successfully. So he insists upon the exclusion of the insidious high ball, as well as that other misleading style of delivery known as the gin sling.

There was a game at the park yesterday afternoon between the Phoenix Juniors and the Monkeys, in which the Monkeys were made over again into monkeys by the score of 19 to 15. A member of the victorious team called at this office and desired it to be said that the Phoenix Juniors kindly waived the last two innings that the humiliation of the Monkeys might not be made any deeper. A number of the Monkeys came in afterward and said that if the game had been two innings longer the result would have been quite different.

Roy Mattison was the umpire at the beginning of the game, but was soon disqualified by his want of tact. He could not see his own sides. He was removed and Barnum was substituted.

### WAS NOT REMOVED

Mr. Geo. P. Blair and His Late Receivership.

Hon. George P. Blair, member of the council from Pinal county, is in the city yesterday on business connected with the litigation of the Farmers' Loan & Trust company of New York against the Mammoth-Collins Gold Mining company, a foreclosure suit in behalf of certain bondholders. A local paper speaking of Mr. Blair's presence in town, described him as having been removed by Judge Doan from the position of receiver for the company. The same error has been made by Tucson and other papers referring to the late proceedings before Judge Doan at Florence. The removal of Mr. Blair was one of the things that was not done.

A motion for an order to remove him was made by the defendant, and was denied by Judge Doan, who stated in his order that no cause had been shown. In the same order Judge Doan granted an order terminating receivership, for the reason that mining operations and all other business at the mine requiring the attention of a receiver had ceased.

The case has been set for trial on its merits on November 5. Mr. Blair said it had been expected, or at least hoped, that an arrangement might be reached before this so that work could be resumed.

### RIOT AMONG MEXICANS

Begun at Five Points and Settled in Police Court.

Three Mexicans were engaged in an effort to kill each other, Tuesday evening about dark, in the vicinity of Seventh avenue and Bennett Lane, when the police were sent for and they were jailed. Yesterday the city recorder carefully examined into the case and sentenced two of them, Jose Rico and Miguel Valenzuela, to twenty days each in jail, and the third man, Cyrano Moreno, was sentenced to ten days in jail.

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Inclination of two of them, at least, to fight. The three were riding along in a lumber wagon when an altercation arose between Rico and Valenzuela, and the former knocked the other out of the wagon, or he fell out for the purpose of finishing the fight on the ground.

He fell under the horses in some unaccountable manner, and Rico getting out of the wagon pulled him to safety and began beating him. He was interfered with by a man who happened to be passing, and after they were separated Rico again attacked Valenzuela, and gave him another round, being again stopped by the same man. Moreno, meanwhile, sat in the wagon and watched the proceeding. The women in the neighborhood were considerably excited and some one telephoned for the police. Half way out Officer Porter's tire blew up and Officer Lawrence was distanced. Officer Russell arrived. Mr. Russell was driving one Mexican into their wagon started for the jail with them, soon being joined and escorted by the other officers. An incident of the trip might have had a serious ending had one of the Mexicans been looking for real trouble. While Mr. Russell was driving the Mexicans reached over and pulled the officer's gun out of his pocket, but he made no attempt to use it, only trying to hide it so the officer could not use it on him. But this was only the work of a minute, and Mr. Russell soon regained possession of the weapon.

When the case was tried yesterday the members of the force who knew Moreno said in his behalf that so far as they could find out he had never been intoxicated or in trouble before, and that he is only 18 years old and is a hard working wood-hauler. He is the sole support of his mother and her nine children, his father being the man who was murdered a few months ago by his son-in-law near his home on the Grand canal. These facts caused the recorder's heart to melt a little bit and secured for Moreno a lighter sentence.

### A BLOW TO THE NAVY.

It becomes daily clearer how sensible and public spirited Mr. McKinley and Mr. Long were in doing their utmost to smother the so called Sampson-Schley controversy. Better far insinuations and suspicions, however dark, than the deplorable spectacle of which this country and other nations are astonished witnesses.

Sensationalism and partisanship are kicking our splendid navy through the mire of a disgraceful embroilment. And it has already become clear that a settlement of the points in dispute is improbable to the verge of impossibility. It also seems clear that the only definite result may be a navy lowered in tone, lowered in its own and the public esteem.

Apparently it is now too late to go back. Rear Admiral Schley has demanded a court of inquiry, and the passions of all concerned are inflamed to fury. It is therefore a patriotic duty of the highest character for all who love their country, honor and value its superb navy, to discourage futile and harmful breeding discussion, to await the decision of the court, and then to help the country and the world to forget the whole incident as speedily as possible. New York World.

### A LARGE AUDIENCE PRESENT.

At the Park theater last night a most enjoyable performance was given. The company has undoubtedly created a most favorable impression and vaudeville in Phoenix has become an institution. Society was out in force last evening and applauded vigorously every number on the programme. Tomorrow night a change of programme will be given and the usual "hop" will take place after the performance on Friday night.

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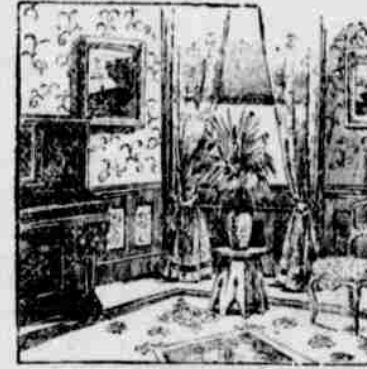
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